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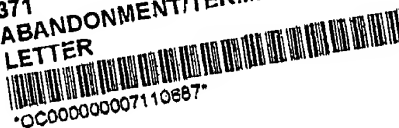
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NOTIFICATION OF ABANDONMENT

The United States Patent and Trademark Office in its capacity as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495) has made the following determination:

- Applicant has failed to provide the full U.S. Basic National Fee by 30 months (37 CFR 1.495(b)(2)).

Therefore, the above identified application failed to meet the requirements of 35 U.S.C. 371 and 37 CFR 1.495, and is ABANDONED AS TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

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In re Application of
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This is in response to applicant's communication received via facsimile on 13 December 2001 in the United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) in the above referenced application.

On 23 March 2000, applicant filed international application No. PCT/FR00/00757, claiming a priority date of 26 March 1999 and designating the United States. A copy of the international application was communicated to the United States from the International Bureau on 05 October 2000.

On 26 October 2000, a Demand was filed with the International Preliminary Examining Authority electing the United States. As a result the deadline for payment of the basic national fee was extended to expire 30 months from the priority date, or on 26 September 2001, under 35 U.S.C. 371(c).

On 20 September 2001, applicant filed a transmittal letter for entry into the national stage in the United States, which indicated that fees were to be charged to a credit card. The basic national fee for filing with European Patent Office search report as a small entity is \$430. However, a review of the finance records indicates that the basic national fee was not paid.

On 26 November 2001, a Notification of Abandonment was mailed to applicant indicating that the application was abandoned for failure to pay the basic national fee by the 30 month deadline.

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On 13 December 2001, applicant filed the instant communication accompanied by a USPTO date-stamped itemized postcard receipt. The post card receipt indicates that a "credit card payment form" accompanied the national stage filing on 20 September 2001. Although applicant has provided proof with the itemized postcard receipt that the credit card form accompanied the original papers filed on 20 September 2001, applicant has not provided a copy of the originally filed forms in order to verify that the forms were properly filled out. Absent such a copy, the application must continue to be held abandoned.

Applicant is requested to submit a new credit card form (forms and instructions enclosed) for the payment of the basic national fee and all other fees that applicant wishes to pay at this time. Applicant is reminded that USPTO will only accept Visa, MasterCard, American Express and Discover credit cards.

Applicant may submit the completed and signed credit card form via facsimile to the PCT Legal Office (703-308-6459).

CONCLUSION

This application remains abandoned.

The application will be held in the PCT Legal Office to await a proper response. A proper response must be filed within ONE (1) MONTH from the mail date of this decision. Extensions of time may be obtained under 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Any further correspondence with respect to this matter should be addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Box PCT, Washington, DC 20231, with the contents of the letter marked to the attention of the PCT Legal Office.



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Enclosures: credit card payment form (3 pages)

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Thank you -
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371					
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/EP 100757		INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 23.03.2000		PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 26.03.1999	
TITLE OF INVENTION Protein modified By Xanthurenic acid					
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US					
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:					
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